

# Happy Holidays

## Come and Celebrate at Columbia Chapter's December General Meeting



Mark your calendars and be sure to join us for some networking, a little friendly competition, and Chapter business.

When is it? Thursday, December 10, 2015, 11:30 to 2:00

Where is it? Portland City Grill 111 SW 5<sup>th</sup> Avenue, Portland, OR 97204

The silent auction is always a lot of fun, and not a bad place to pick up some Christmas gifts, but we need your help to make it successful. Donations from vendors and members make this event a success. Past silent auction items have included gift cards, holiday décor items, electronics, and tools. Proceeds from the silent auction help to fund the Rewards Program. Contact Cynthia Phillips at 503.823.6809 or [cindy.phillips@portlandoregon.gov](mailto:cindy.phillips@portlandoregon.gov); if you, or your agency, have items or baskets to donate to the silent auction.

**Back this year, Wine? or Whine? A mystery bottle auction.** Ten bagged bottles will be auctioned off to the highest bidder. You could get a nice Pinot Gris, Pinot Noir, Two Buck Chuck or flavored cooking oil. All bottles will be on display prior to being bagged and auctioned. Again, member donations will help to make this event a success.



Also back this year, **the Mystery Box** – Five pretty boxes will be auctioned off to the highest bidder, but only one box contains the \$100.00 jackpot.

As always the Chapter will be accepting donations of new unwrapped toys for the Sunshine Division and we will be collecting food donations to help out the Oregon Food Bank.



Here is your holiday to do list, be sure to check it twice:



- Mark your Calendar for December 10th
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- Let Cindy know if you have a silent auction or wine donation
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- RSVP on the NIGP website once you receive the Holiday Notice from Cindy

Get a toy for the Sunshine Division And/Or  
get food items for the Oregon Food Bank

*Hope to see you there!*

Here are the entree selections, please choose between Option 1 or 2, and be sure to include your selection when RSVPing on the NIGP website. For members with food allergies, or other dietary concerns, please email me directly at: [cindy.phillips@portlandoregon.gov](mailto:cindy.phillips@portlandoregon.gov);

**Option 1.** Char Grilled Wagyu Top Sirloin Steak, with Bulleit bourbon steak sauce, & crispy onions.

**Option 2.** Parmesan Crusted Chicken Breast in a Tomato Basil butter sauce

**Option 3.** Lemon Thyme Seared Fresh Salmon

The lunch also includes, Rosemary roasted marble potatoes, and garlic green beans, Apple, candied Hazelnuts & Gorgonzola Salad, Cheesecake, hot coffee, tea, and bread.